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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION (ROA-2)

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of July 5, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

The following clean amended claims are rewritten in Annexure 1, attached hereto, showing the amendments to the claims:

11. (Amended) A gaming machine for the playing of a game by a player, the game having a plurality of predetermined game states, the gaming machine comprising:

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